

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
AT WINCHESTER**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	Case No. 4:23-cr-14
)	
v.)	Judge Atchley
)	
ROSS A. RINKES)	Magistrate Judge Steger

ORDER

U.S. Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger filed a report and recommendation [Doc. 10] recommending that the Court: (1) accept Defendant's guilty plea to Count One of the three count Information; (2) adjudicate Defendant guilty of making and subscribing a false U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, Form 1040, in violation of 26 U.S.C. § 7206(1); and (3) order that Defendant remain out of custody subject to the Order Setting Conditions of Release [Doc. 8] pending sentencing or further order of this Court.

Neither party filed a timely objection to the report and recommendation. After reviewing the record, the Court agrees with Magistrate Judge Steger's report and recommendation. Accordingly, the Court **ACCEPTS** and **ADOPTS** the magistrate judge's report and recommendation [Doc. 10] pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and **ORDERS** as follows:

1. Defendant's plea of guilty to Count One of the three count Information is **ACCEPTED**;
2. Defendant is hereby **ADJUDGED** guilty of making and subscribing a false U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, Form 1040, in violation of 26 U.S.C. § 7206(1);
3. Defendant shall remain **OUT OF CUSTODY** subject to the Order Setting Conditions of Release [Doc. 8] pending further order of the Court or Defendant's sentencing

hearing which is scheduled to take place before the undersigned on **March 7, 2024, at**
9:00 a.m. ET.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Charles E. Atchley, Jr.

CHARLES E. ATCHLEY, JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE